

Interim Screening Tool for Eligibility for Live, Nasal Spray Influenza Vaccine (FluMist®)

This year's supply of flu vaccine is limited. It is important that people at risk for complications from the flu receive the flu vaccine. Please complete this form to determine whether you or your child should receive FluMist® this flu season (per MDPH guidelines issued 10/27/04).

Is the person being considered for vaccination:

Yes **No**

A household contact or caregiver of a person in a high-risk category, including infants younger than 6 months of age, and who:

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- Is 5 - 49 years of age, and
- Has no medical condition that increases the risk of complications from the flu

A health care worker or emergency medical technician first responder, who provides direct care to patients, and who:

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- Is 5 - 49 years of age,
- Has no medical condition that increases the risk of complications from the flu, and
- Does not care for patients who are so immunocompromised that they require a protective environment

(Health care workers who are 50 years of age or older or who have a medical condition that puts them at risk for complications from influenza are eligible to receive inactivated influenza vaccine (flu shot).

If you answered "Yes" to either of the questions above, you are eligible to receive the live influenza vaccine that is sprayed into the nose (FluMist) in Massachusetts.

Name of patient, or patient's parent or guardian: _____

Date: ____/____/____